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In re application of: Douglas R. Elliott

For: **Method for Obtaining and Allocating Investment Income Based
on the Capitalization of Intellectual Property**

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

This is a response to the office action mailed on October 29, 2002 in the above-referenced patent application. Please amend the application as follows:

In the Specification:

In the response to the Restriction Requirement sent on July 31, 2002, Petitioner asked the portions of the Specification not relevant to the elected claims be deleted. However, Petitioner was examining a copy of the patent application that was not identical to the application submitted to the USPTO, and so the requested deletions referenced incorrect line numbers. Petitioner had requested that page 6, lines 3-21 and page 9, line 1 through page 12, line 17 be deleted. The request should be revised to read: Please delete page 6, lines 1-19, and page 9, line 1 through